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Dear Peggy,

Sorry I was not awake when you called and Lil almost never wakes me because I need the sleep and can't help getting up early.

Unless the ~~market~~ has dropped out of JFK assassination volumes the price Jim Desar gave you is very low. Several years ago the price of a new or mint set was about \$5,000 and used sets were bringing from half that up. If you do not mind my making a suggest^{ion} it is that you get in touch with an honest dealer. They have waiting lists so long they stopped adding names to ~~list~~ them several years ago. I enclose the card of a man we have known since he was in touch with us when he was in college and, in addition to being a friend, he is an honest man. Andy at the last Hurrah can tell you what those volumes are worth. He'll be able to tell you what he can pay you because he knows what he can sell them for. And on the new set, protect the boxes because he can sell them, too. People collect what other people never think of collecting.

Shirley may also have had books, other books, for which there may be a market. Some of the older ones can't be had. I am not aware of what they can bring but Andy will know.

People do from time to time go to the Assassination Archive and Research office but it is chaos and there is a real question about the continued survival when it has no real income. Besides which they have gotten so much stuff that most of it is inaccessible in boxes. And those boxes are stacked.

I have a call in to the head of the history department of local Hood College, which is small and one of the best according to the annual peer reviews, to see if they would like Shirley's papers. They will have all of mine, they have Sylvia Meaghers and those of Ray Marcus. What they are getting from me is about 60 file cabinets plus countless boxes. I do think that if they have the space and want it they will be the best place for Shirley's work. Of which I remember mostly the differing descriptions of Oswald.

If you decide to write or phone Andy, if you'd like, feel free to use my name.

If you hear from him, and until he is home I won't, the head of the history department at Hood, also a dear friend, is Dr. Gerald McKnight.

Lil has collected the recipes or will enclose them.

As you may remember, your mother came and spent a month with us before we moved here. We enjoyed her visit and appreciated her help very much.

Best regards, Harold Weisberg

Harold